

By MOLLIE I. DOWD

It's a girl, Marva Dell, weighing in at 8 pounds, 11 ounces, and measuring 23 inches, at the home of Eddie and Caroline Bergeron, Lebanon, Ore., just as June was on the wane—to be exact, June 30. Eddie grew up in Walteria, so the oldesters who remember him wish the new parents and babe all the best in the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack-Tinkle of Newton street entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon, June 25, in the Community building with picnic luncheon honoring their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Tinkle, of Houston, Texas.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Estell and daughter of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bloore and children, Santa Monica; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ray and son, Venice; Mrs. Frances Corbin and Kathy, Downey; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Walker and son, Santa Monica; Mr. James Estell, Los Angeles; Mr. John Tinkle, Haskell, Texas; Mrs. W. H. Montgomery, Billie and Margaret Tinkle, and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Howell of Ocean avenue has returned from a week's trip to Grand Rapids, Mich., where they attended the convention of La Verne College teachers. Mr. Howell was district representative to the convention.

Walteria Cub Pack 240 held a winner roast at Torrance Park Saturday, June 17. There were 17 Cubs, two Don Chiefs, and 20 parents in attendance.

After eating, the Cubs were presented with their awards, the model planes were judged and prizes given. Games were played, songs sung, and Pat Willey, a new member from Pacific Hills, entertained on his accordion.

Boys receiving ribbons for their airplane models were: David Johnston, first prize; Dennis Harvey, second; and Pat Willey, third. Don Scouts attending the meeting were: Larry Bugzolin, Fred Herman, Bennie Hunter, Jim Hunter, Fred Workman, David and Philip Johnston, Pat Willey, Glen Bostwick, Max Montgomery, Michael and Wendell Fleet, Douglas Lemaster, Neil Dalley, Paul Herrera, Dennis Harvey, and John Burgette. Don Chiefs, Charles Hanselman and Charles Skaggs were in charge of the Cubs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Chittick and daughter Christine, with Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Brennan and sons Frank and John, all of Hollywood, Riviera, enjoyed an outdoor camping trip at Mt. Palomar over the holiday week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frazier and daughter Rita of Manchester, New Hampshire, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt of Adolph street Sunday, July 2.

Mrs. Evelyn Neumann and children, Sharon and Johnnie, accompanied by Mrs. Neumann's sister, Mrs. Robert Taggart and son, Cressie, left Friday for two weeks vacation in Idaho. They hoped to arrive in time to help Mrs. Neumann's father celebrate his birthday on Sunday, July 9.

Mrs. Bessie Slonecker of Neece avenue has been in Laredo, Missouri, called there by the illness and death of her

father. She will return home as soon as business affairs pertaining to the estate are settled. During Mrs. Slonecker's absence, a family friend, Mrs. Warren, of Los Angeles, is caring for Mrs. A. J. Slonecker. Mr. Slonecker's mother, who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Spoden of Aurora, Ill., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Loughridge, Ocean avenue, Sunday, July 2. They enjoyed a very tasty chicken barbecue, with all the trimmings.

Mr. and Mrs. Errol Sanders of 3919 242nd street, spent four delightful days as guests of the Mission Inn at Riverside. The occasion was the annual convention of the Canadian Legion, of which Mr. Sanders is a past-state commander.

Janet Van Dyke, Doralee and Gwen Chaffin of Adolph street returned July 2 after two weeks vacation with relatives in the San Joaquin Valley, near Hanford. They participated in the water carnival at Lamone, where Gwen reigned as queen.

Mrs. B. R. Conner of Ocean avenue returned home after an extended visit with relatives in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Christian of Neece avenue are spending two weeks vacation in the High Sierras, north of Bishop. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lund of Bishop. Mrs. Lund is the sister of Mrs. Christian. The Lund family lived in Walteria for many years.

Walteria children who were winners in the poster contest at Walteria Park were Roy Taraldson, Carol Gooler, Carol Ludolph, Susan O'Brien, Jo Ann Sumpster, Edith Zack, Marshall Iwasson, Colleen Gordon and Bobby Jo Hinesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Phelps and family of Park street moved to Port Hueme last week, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corey and family are now occupying the residence vacated by the Phelps family.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Galonis and daughter Barbara of Ocean avenue are moving this week to San Pedro. They say they are sorry to be leaving Walteria, which makes us all feel better, as we will miss them.

Catholic Card Party Set Tonight

Mrs. Frank Gately will serve as chairman for this evening's Catholic ladies weekly card party in Nativity Hall, Cota at Manuel avenue. Everyone is invited. Tallies may be purchased at the door.

While tallies are being checked at the close of play, delicious refreshments will be served by Mrs. Gately and her committee. Assisting her with party arrangements are Mesdames Lyle O'Hara, Howard Schott, James McTague, Keith Jones, James Donald, James Brodie, James O'Toole, M. Walsh, Paul Schwartzoff, Daniel Maine, Henry Brunsanski, Thomas Martinez, Sydney Carpenter, Don Cowden, Rudolph Bernasconi, Leo Harlan, and S. Algame.

Stork Shower Compliments Mrs. Quinn

The home of Mrs. Belle Geer, 1336 W. 216th street, was the setting for a lovely baby shower given recently to honor Mrs. Wafford Quinn of 1438 W. 218th street.

Two corsages were presented to Mrs. Quinn upon arrival, an orchid from her secret pal, and a beautiful floral spray from her hostess.

A pink and blue color scheme was followed, and the fragrance of pink and blue sweet peas filled the rooms. Mr. Stork, draped in a blue coat, did his part in holding the streamers which were fastened securely to the many gifts.

Games were played and prizes awarded to winners. Refreshments, served buffet style, included dainty sandwiches, fruit punch and individual berry pies. Tiny pink and blue booties filled with candy were favors.

Guests attending were Mrs. Mmes. Myrtle Gilman, Mary Hayden, Emma Ridge, Lomita; Gene Mahoney, San Pedro; Yvonne Bottruff, Kettler Knolls; Maurine Moore, Jessie Hamlin, Kathryn Reynolds, and Bobby Ray, Long Beach; Lillian Davis, Inez Bottruff, Barbara Holcomb, Neva Johnson, Marie Drake, Gordon Maxwell, Velma Fredericks, and Mattie McIvor, and the Misses Myrtle Blaine and Paula Bottruff, Wilmington.

Gifts also were received from Mmes. Mary Holden, Bernice Moskos, Daniel Guild, Anna Chapman, Enid Thorsen, Bungi, Ruth Price, Louella Briggs and W. A. Sowerly.

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Swim Class Attracts Teen-Agers

The Y. W. C. A. sponsored swimming lessons for teenage girls began last week with a full class of 20 girls. Instructor Ted Meier divided the group for their first lesson into three groups, to facilitate individualized help. In the first were those who are learning to feel at home in the water, in the second are those who are learning the crawl stroke, and the third is devoted to those who can swim but want to improve their form.

The class includes the following members: Barbara Bergman, Carol Campbell, Erma Carstens, Dana Cecil, Lois Colclasure, Janice Crabtree, Connie Ericson, Martha and Mary Fenlon, Jane Fischer, Joan Laskeris, Cleo Madrid, Marian McDonald, Joy Pearman, Janet Poh, Doris Popovich, Mary Jo Schripel, Mary Tappin, June Werson, and Peggy Wood.

Other girls who would like to join the class may place their names on a waiting list at the Y. W. C. A. to be notified in case a girl drops.

The class is at the Riviera Beach Club Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9:30 during July.

Mrs. John V. Murray of 1912 Andrea avenue, left Sunday for an extended visit with relatives and friends in the east. Her itinerary includes Kansas City, Mo., Chicago, Pittsburgh, Boston and her former home in Nova Scotia.

Professional Women Hear Biennial Reports Monday

Regular business meeting of the National Business and Professional Women's Club of Torrance held Monday featured reports of the biennial convention in San Francisco by Miss Verma Porter and Mrs. Anna Sandstrom.

Special visitors were Miss Lillian M. Wilson and Mrs. Helen M. Steel, both members of the Tyrona, Pennsylvania B&PW Club, who are visiting with Mrs. Minnie Brooks before returning to their homes in the eastern state. After the meeting, Mrs. Brooks invited all members present to adjourn to her home.

Mrs. Oursler Entertains Bridge Group

Mrs. John T. Oursler was a gracious hostess to bridge club members when she entertained Thursday evening in her new home.

Arrangements of gladioli created a festive setting and at the close of play light refreshments were served.

Winners at bridge were Mesdames Robert S. Sleeth Sr., and W. I. Laughon. Others present were Mmes. Dean L. Sears, R. L. Lewellen, J. B. Seaton, and S. E. Smith.

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The July dinner meeting will be held at 7 o'clock Monday, July 17 at Mac's, 6450 South Figueroa street, Los Angeles. Guests are welcome. Reservations must be made by July 15, after which no cancellations will be accepted. Hostesses will be Mesdames Ruth Davis, Theresa Finlayson, and Mary Tombs. Reservations may be phoned to EFrontier 35632. Any member who has not drawn a "Whosit" name may do so at the dinner meeting. Mrs. Aylene Moore is in charge of this activity.

Major Blaine G. Walker, USR, and Mrs. Walker and their son John of Paso Robles, were Sunday guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Walker.

At home following several weeks vacation trip to the northwest are Mrs. M. N. Felker and daughters Sharon and Andrea, Mrs. W. A. Felker of Torrance and Mrs. Claudine De-fouri of Redondo Beach. Mrs. Felker and her party spent some time in British Columbia, Canada, visiting Vancouver, Victoria and Nanaimo.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Farrell and Nancy attended the New York-New Jersey state picnic held Sunday in Long Beach.

Mrs. Harriett V. Leech arrived this week from Phoenix, Ariz. to spend the summer. She is living at the Cravens Apartments.

GERSHWIN CONCERT HOLLYWOOD BOWL ANNUAL FEATURE

Hollywood Bowl's annual Gershwin concert will be given Saturday, July 15, with Fanchon and Marco as producers. The program, sixth annual event of its kind since 1945, will have the following features:

Gordon MacRae, baritone, of Warner Brothers Studio, will sing many of the Gershwin favorites; Gregory Peck, screen star, will read the Gershwin eulogy written by Oscar Hammerstein, II; Lucille Norman, soprano; Marco Wolff, Jr., pianist in the Rhapsody in Blue; the Roger Wagner Chorus in "Porgy and Bess" excerpts; the Fanchonettes (40 precision dancers), Carmen Dragon will conduct.

Six performances of ballet by the renowned Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo will be given in the Bowl starting July 20 and continuing through July 29.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Clayton of 1911 W. 220th street recently entertained at their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and daughters of Dinuba, and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Connally of Santa Monica.

The hosts and their guests spent the weekend at the Highland Park home of an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Youngman, who were celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Lincoln returned last week from an enjoyable motor trip to the Monterey Peninsula, Lassen Volcanic National Park and other natural phenomena added to the interest of the vacation, they report.

Your Kitchen Counsellor

by HARRIETT SMITH

Southern California Gas Company Home Service Representative

SERVE HOMEMADE COOKIES

Two to sixty-two and more. They all like homemade cookies. And they're just the thing to serve on many occasions.

Have cookies with lightly sweetened fresh fruit or with ice cream for an easy dessert.

Between-meal snacks for those active youngsters is a fine time for homemade cookies, too. Add fruit or milk, and those little extra meals count as an important part of the daily plan for filling normal nutritive and energy requirements.

BANANA OATMEAL COOKIES

They'll eat rolled oats without a murmur when it appears in cookies. And the banana flavor makes these especially popular.

- 1 1/2 C. sifted flour
- 1/2 tsp. soda
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/2 tsp. nutmeg
- 1/2 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 C. shortening
- 1 C. sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 C. mashed ripe bananas
- 1 1/2 C. rolled oats
- 1/2 C. chopped walnuts

Sift flour, soda, salt and spices together. Cream shortening. Add sugar gradually and beat until light. Add egg and beat well. Stir in bananas, rolled oats and nuts. Blend in sifted dry ingredients. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto oiled baking sheet (1 1/2 in. apart). Bake at 400° about 15 min.

CHOCOLATE BROWNIES

If you like brownies to be soft and chewy, here's your recipe. Just the right amount of baking is the answer.

- 3 sq. baking chocolate
- 1/2 C. shortening
- 2 eggs
- 1 C. sugar
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1/2 C. chopped walnuts
- 1 C. sifted flour
- 1/2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/2 tsp. salt

Put chocolate and shortening into a saucepan and heat over a very low flame to melt. Allow to partly cool. Beat eggs well and beat in sugar gradually. Stir in chocolate mixture, vanilla and nuts. Blend in sifted flour, baking powder and salt. Spread batter in an oiled 7"x10"x1" pan. Bake at 325° for 30 min. Let cool before cutting.

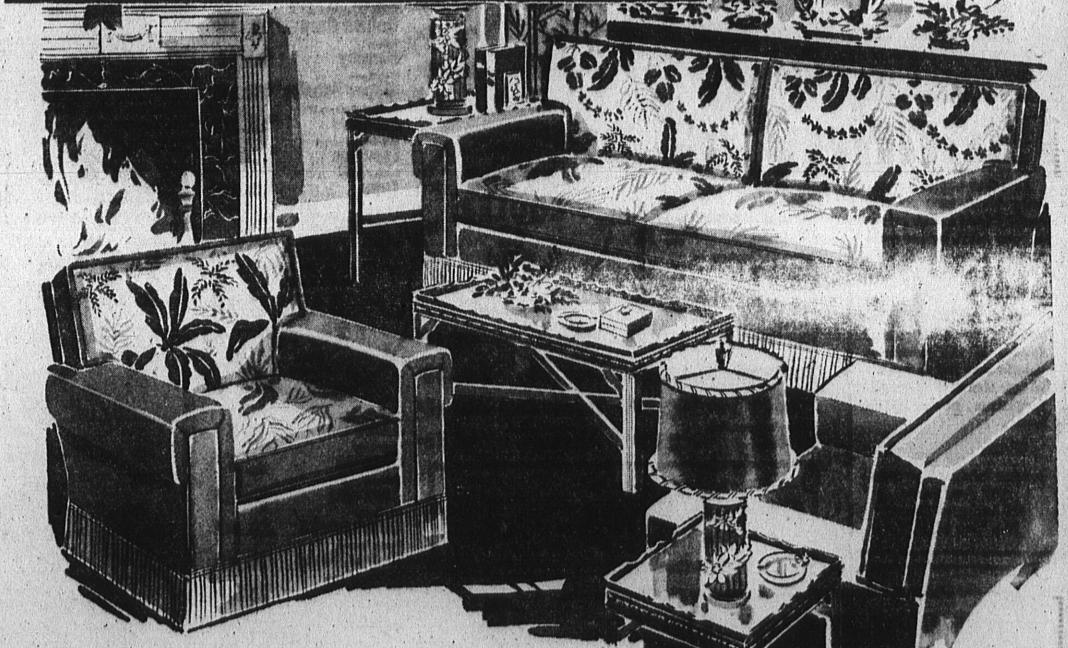
PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES

You may need to hide these cookies to keep them from disappearing too rapidly. Peanut butter and brown sugar blend to give them a particularly taste-teasing flavor.

- 1/2 C. shortening
- 1/2 C. peanut butter
- 1/2 C. brown sugar
- 1/2 C. granulated sugar
- 1 egg, well beaten
- 1 1/2 C. sifted flour
- 1/2 tsp. soda
- 1/2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/2 tsp. salt

Cream shortening and peanut butter together. Add sugar gradually and cream thoroughly. Add egg. Sift flour, soda, baking powder and salt together and mix into creamed mixture. Shape into small balls and place on oiled cookie sheet. Dip tines of fork into flour and flatten cookies by pressing with fork. Bake at 350° 12 to 15 minutes.

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